TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 669 – SB 597

May 18, 2009

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (008615): Deletes the language of the original bill; requires the Commissioner of Revenue, upon request from the Commissioner of Safety, to deny issuance of motor vehicle registration renewal to any person convicted of not possessing the required proof of insurance, or to any person whose citation was dismissed on the grounds that proof of insurance did not exist at the time of the citation but was obtained prior to disposition by the court, until such person furnishes the required proof of insurance to the Department of Revenue (DOR) or county clerk.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Decrease State Revenue – Net Impact – \$4,237,900/FY09-10 \$8,475,800/FY10-11 and Subsequent Years

Increase State Expenditures – \$540,700/FY09-10 \$837,700/FY10-11 and Subsequent Years

Decrease Local Revenue – Net Impact – \$7,667,000/FY09-10 \$15,333,900/FY10-11 and Subsequent Years

Increase Local Expenditures –
Exceeds \$150,500/FY09-10*
Exceeds \$301,000/FY10-11 and Subsequent Years*

*Article II, Section 24 of the Tennessee Constitution provides that: no law of general application shall impose increased expenditure requirements on cities or counties unless the General Assembly shall provide that the state share in the cost.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

MINIMAL

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Assumption applied to amendment:

• The individual convicted or the individual whose case is dismissed because they obtained insurance prior to court is required under current law to provide proof of insurance to DOR or the county clerk before receiving their motor vehicle registration renewal. As a result, this amendment does not change current practice.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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